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London Fire Department To Hold Official Opening Ceremonies For Station No. 13

At 1 p.m., on Saturday, November 17, 2007, an opening ceremony and dedication will take place at Station No. 13 in London's north end. In keeping with its practice of honouring fire personnel who have died in the line of duty, the facility will be known as The Captain David Moffitt Fire Station. Captain Moffitt joined the London Fire Department in 1927 and died of a heart attack after fighting a Richmond Street blaze on November 14, 1960.

Mayor Anne Marie DeCicco-Best will bring greetings from the City, while Ward 5 Councillor Joni Baechler will bring greetings on behalf of area residents. Fire Chief John Kobarda will speak on behalf of the Fire Department.

The ceremony will be supplemented by an open house and tours of the station. Every member of the public is invited to attend. No. 13 is London's newest fire station and serves a large northern portion of the city from its location on Fanshawe Park Road E.

What: Official Opening of Fire Station No. 13
When: Nov. 17, 2007. 1-4 PM.
Where: 790 Fanshawe Park Rd. E.